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Sir:

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Copies of the documents are not enclosed, but can be found in the prior application, serial number 09/428,350. Should the Examiner wish us to send copies of any or all of the listed documents, please let the undersigned attorney know.

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OTHER DOCUMENTS (Including Author, Title, Date, Pertinent Pages, Etc.)

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